

Chapter 30

REGULATION OF WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATION

16-30-040 General Review Provisions.

1. Independent Review. The County may, if it deems necessary, cause the applicant to submit an impact study from a qualified, third party radio frequency engineer, to insure that the proposed telecommunications facility will not interfere with existing radio, television, and emergency signals. The purpose of the review shall be to determine if other sites are available which can achieve an equivalent signal distribution without significantly affecting the existing telecommunication operations within the County. Such a review may be required when an applicant indicates that no other acceptable site exists. These costs shall be borne by the applicant. If the applicant disagrees with Staff or the Planning Commission regarding this impact study, then an appeal can be made before the Morgan County Council.
2. Communication Facilities Applications shall be considered for either a Temporary Use Permit, Conditional Use Permit or Permitted Use Permit.
3. Towers under 70' that are owned and operated by a federally licensed amateur radio station operator or towers used exclusively for receive only antennas are except from this ordinance.